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On Behalf Of:

Committee: Senate Committee On Health Care

Measure: SB704

I am writing to urge the Senate to approve the formation of a Universal Plan Governance Board. Oregonians need a single payer healthcare system because it (and no half measures like Obama care) will lead to better health outcomes because it will 1) cover everyone and 2) cost less money than our current system. For union members like myself, taking healthcare off the table during bargaining would allow my union to negotiate for better wages and work conditions.